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MEMBER OF CONGRESS
FOURTEENTH DISTRICT, TEXAS

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The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Chair
Committee on Appropriations
U.S. House of Representatives
Washington, D.C. 20515

The Honorable Kay Granger
Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
U.S. House of Representatives
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I request funding for the Galveston Causeway Waterline Project in fiscal year 2023.

The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Galveston, located at 823 Rosenberg, Galveston, Texas 77550.

The funding would be used to install a new potable water line under the Interstate Highway 45 (I-45) causeway, which provides this critical infrastructure protection from all hazards to which the waterline is exposed. The City of Galveston service area encompasses around 134,000 acres and includes water service to more than 50,000 residents, in addition to over 7 million tourists visiting the island annually. This project would replace the existing 100-year-old-plus water line and leave the 22-year-old water line in place for redundancy. There are no concerns regarding the feasibility of this project, as the I-45 causeway was designed for the eventual placement of this water line under it.

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

RANDY K. WEBER
Member of Congress